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“IMPORTANT DAY”

World Anaesthesia Day 2023

World Anaesthesia Day, celebrated on October 16 each year, is a significant occasion that highlights the critical role of anaesthesia in modern medical treatments. This day not only recognizes the birth of anaesthesia but also serves as a platform to raise awareness about the importance of this field in healthcare. In this article, we explore the history, significance, and the 2023 theme of World Anaesthesia Day.

World Anaesthesia Day stands as a tribute to the birth of anaesthesia, a groundbreaking development in the history of medicine. It serves to raise awareness about the importance of this field in healthcare and recognizes the ongoing need to ensure safe anaesthesia practices worldwide.

World Anaesthesia Day Theme for 2023

The theme for World Anaesthesia Day in 2023 is ‘Anaesthesia and Cancer Care.’ This theme sheds light on the indispensable role of anaesthesia in cancer treatments. Anaesthesiologists play a vital part in ensuring the comfort and safety of cancer patients during surgical interventions and other medical procedures. The theme also highlights efforts to strengthen anaesthesia services, ultimately enhancing cancer treatment.

World Food Day 2023

World Food Day is an annual observance that takes place on October 16. It is a global initiative aimed at addressing the pressing issues of hunger, food security, and access to proper nutrition.

World Food Day 2023 Theme

The theme for World Food Day 2023 is “Water is life, water is food. Leave no one behind.” This theme emphasizes the critical role of water in food production, nutrition, and livelihoods. Water is essential for life on Earth and plays a fundamental role in agriculture, which is the primary source of food. It raises awareness about the finite nature of this precious resource and the need for responsible water use in food production. The theme urges collective action to ensure equal access to food and water for all. In conclusion, World Food Day is a globally significant observance that tackles the pressing issues of hunger, food security, and access to proper nutrition. It promotes sustainable agriculture, reduction of food wastage, a culture of healthy eating, food security, and hygienic food practices. The theme for World Food Day 2023 underscores the critical role of water in food production and the necessity of equitable access to food and water for everyone on the planet.

International Day of Rural Women 2023

The International Day of Rural Women, celebrated annually on October 15, is a day dedicated to recognizing the vital contributions of rural women worldwide. They play an essential role in agriculture, food production and rural development. However, their contributions are overlooked and undervalued. This article we will explore the date, theme, history and significance of International Day of Rural Women 2023.

Theme of International Day of Rural Women 2023

The theme of International Day of Rural Women 2023 is “Rural Women Cultivating Good For All”. This theme underscores the essential role that all rural women and girls, including indigenous and tribal women, play in agricultural labor, particularly in developing nations. These women are responsible for sowing seeds, harvesting crops, processing and preparing food grains and distribution.

World Students Day 2023

World Students Day, observed on October 15 each year, is a day dedicated to commemorating the birth anniversary of the late Indian President, Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam. This day is a tribute to his remarkable contributions to education and his unwavering commitment to the welfare of children and students across India and the world. In 2023, World Students Day takes on special significance as we celebrate the 92nd birth anniversary of the A.P.J. Abdul Kalam.

Theme of World Students Day 2023

The theme for World Students Day 2023 is “FAIL: stands for First Attempt in Learning.” This theme, introduced by the Ministry of Education and the Government of India, aims to motivate students to embrace failure as a learning experience and continue their educational journey.

Central Electricity Authority Celebrates Its 50th Foundation Day

The Central Electricity Authority, the organization under the Ministry of Power, Government of India, which provides technical and policy support to the government and to all other stakeholders in the power sector, celebrated its 50th Foundation Day on October 15, 2023.

Pioneering a Reliable 24×7 Power Supply Vision

Working towards the vision of ensuring reliable 24×7 power supply of adequate quality to all consumers in the country, the CEA has been at the forefront of the evolution of the power sector in India, with its pivotal role in planning and managing the country’s electricity needs. Over the last five decades of its history, the Authority has consistently demonstrated its commitment to ensuring reliable and sustainable power supply to the nation.

“SPORTS”

Grandmaster Raunak Sadhwani crowned U-20 world junior rapid chess champion

Grandmaster Raunak Sadhwani won the FIDE World Junior Rapid Chess Championship in Sardinia, Italy. Raunak scored 8.5 over 11 rounds to win the Championship ahead of Arseniy Nesterov of Russia, who scored 8. Raunak became a grandmaster at the age of 13. He is the ninth youngest player in history and the fourth youngest Indian to be awarded the title. Top seed Raunak's campaign had a bad start. In the 2nd and 5th rounds, he lost to very low ranked players. Could score only three points till five rounds. However, he became the winner by defeating Tobias Koele of Germany in the final round. Raunak earned a spot in the 2021 Bullet Chess Championship after winning a qualifier event. He played alongside world-class bullet players like GMs Hikaru Nakamura, Alireza Firouzja, Levon Aronian, Daniel Naroditsky, and more. He won a bronze medal with the Indian team at the 2022 FIDE Olympiad.

IOC suspends Russian Olympic Committee for 'breach of charter'

After nearly 20 months of waging war in Ukraine, Russia was suspended by the International Olympic Council (IOC) for a land grab in sports administration. The International Olympic Committee's executive board imposed the suspension on the Russian Olympic Committee for a breach of the Olympic Charter — a book of rules and principles for international sports bodies — by incorporating sports councils in four regions in eastern Ukraine. The suspension does not immediately affect any Russians who are returning to compete in international sports as neutral athletes, including in some qualifying events for next year's Paris Olympics.

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PM confirms India's bid to host 2036 Olympics

Prime Minister Narendra Modi addressed the 141st International Olympic Committee (IOC) Session at the Jio World Centre in Mumbai. The event marked a significant moment in India's sporting history, with PM Modi expressing India's eagerness to host the Olympics and Youth Olympics in the coming years.

"APPOINTMENT"

B K Mohanty Assumes Charge As Director Of Finance At IREDA

Dr. Bijay Kumar Mohanty officially assumed the role of Director (Finance) at the Indian Renewable Energy Development Agency Ltd. (IREDA). Dr. Mohanty, a highly respected senior finance professional with an impressive career spanning over 25 years in the Indian power sector, brings with him a wealth of knowledge and experience that promises to enrich IREDA's leadership. The appointment of Dr. Mohanty as Director (Finance) of IREDA was approved by the Appointments Committee of the Cabinet (ACC).

Pankaj Bohra takes over as national president of IACC

Pankaj Bohra, a Chartered Accountant from Ahmedabad has become the first-ever person from Gujarat to assume the role of National President of the Indo-American Chamber of Commerce (IACC). The IACC is a 55-year-old apex chamber of commerce and is engaged in promoting bilateral trade and investments between India and the USA. IACC with 14 offices in India and 27 partner organizations in the US. Today bilateral trade between India and USA is experiencing rapid growth with USA emerging as the largest trading partner of India. The bonds between the two nations are stronger than ever and are ready to enter into a new orbit. With a professional experience spanning over four decades, Bohra currently serves as the senior partner at Pankaj Bohra & Co., Chartered Accountants.

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VJ Kurian appoints as chairman of South Indian Bank

VJ Kurian has been appointed as the non-executive part-time chairman of the South Indian Bank with effect from November 2 to March 22, 2026. Kurian will succeed Salim Gangadharan, who will be retiring as non-executive part-time chairman of the bank on November 1 after the completion of his term. The Reserve Bank of India (RBI), as the governing body overseeing the banking sector in India, has given its official approval for VJ Kurian's appointment as the bank's non-executive part-time chairman.

"NATIONAL & INTERNATIONAL NEWS"

NTPC Becomes The Only Indian PSU To Feature In Forbes "World's Best Employers 2023" List

NTPC becomes the only Indian PSU listed in the Forbes 'World's Best Employers 2023' list, positioning it at the 261st rank among the world's top 700 companies. India's largest integrated energy conglomerate, NTPC Limited, has achieved a remarkable distinction by being named one of the "World's Best Employers 2023" in the Forbes World's Best Employers list, which was officially unveiled on October 10, 2023.

Nawanpind Sardaran Village In Punjab Receives Best Tourism Village Award

The beautiful Nawanpind Sardaran village, located in Gurdaspur, Punjab, was recently awarded the title of "Best Tourism Village of India 2023" by the Union Ministry of Tourism. This recognition was a testament to the remarkable efforts of the Sangha sisters, who have passionately dedicated themselves to preserving their ancestral homes, Kothi and Pipal Haveli, and promoting sustainable tourism in their village.

Tallest BR Ambedkar Statue Outside India Unveiled In Washington

In a historic event, a 19-foot tall statue of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, the principal architect of India's Constitution, was formally inaugurated in a suburb of Maryland, Washington. This statue is being considered as the tallest of its kind outside of India and holds significant importance for both Indian-Americans and the Indian diaspora around the world.

One Nation One Student ID Card – APAAR ID Registration, Benefits, and Download

The Ministry of Education and Government of India has initiated the APAAR ID, known as the "One Nation One Student ID Card." This groundbreaking program aims to digitally centralize academic data, including degrees, scholarships, rewards, and other credits for students. In this article, we will provide you with detailed information about the benefits of the APAAR ID and how to download it from the official website. The One Nation One Student ID Card, APAAR ID, is a significant step towards a more organized and accessible academic experience for students in India. By registering and downloading your APAAR ID, you can unlock various benefits and conveniently store your academic records. With thousands of institutes and millions of students already benefiting from this program, it's a promising development in the education sector.

Kerala Gets Its First 3D-Printed Building In Just 28 Days

Kerala has marked a significant milestone in the world of construction with the inauguration of Amaze-28, the state's first building constructed using 3D printing technology. This innovative architectural wonder, with its 380-square-foot, one-room summer house, was unveiled in the Kerala State Nirmithi Kendra (Kesnik) campus at PTP Nagar, Thiruvananthapuram.

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First Ever Mobile Tower Installed At Siachen Glacier By The Indian Army

The Siachen Glacier, known as the world's highest battlefield, has witnessed a groundbreaking development with the installation of a mobile tower. The Fire and Fury Corps of the Indian Army, in collaboration with Bharat Sanchar Nigam Limited (BSNL), achieved this remarkable feat, bringing enhanced mobile communication to soldiers deployed at elevations exceeding 15,500 feet. Union Minister Devusinh Chauhan shared the noteworthy achievement on the social media platform 'X'.

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